

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**AMENDMENT "C"**

APPLICANT: Matthias Niethammer      GROUP ART UNIT: 3689  
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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REMOTE SERVICING OF  
AN EXTERNAL COMPONENT OF AN INSTALLED MEDICAL  
SYSTEM

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office Action dated February 19, 2009, Applicant herewith amends the application as follows.